

Chancellor

The Education Achievement Authority of Michigan (the "EAA") has retained TJA Staffing Services to assist with its search for an exceptional and visionary leader to serve as *Chancellor*. The Chancellor of the EAA serves as the chief executive officer and administers all programs, funds, personnel, facilities, contracts, and all other administrative and academic functions of the EAA, subject to the oversight of the Executive Committee of the EAA Board of Directors. More specifically, the Chancellor is charged with the responsibility of improving school/district academic performance of the lowest five percent performing schools in Michigan and narrowing the achievement gap across sub groups. The Chancellor will develop and determine strategy, external partnerships, personnel/talent, organizational culture, as well as overseeing and ensuring the financial stability of the EAA.

JOB TITLE: Chancellor

REPORTS TO: EAA Board of Directors

Position Status: Full time, Competitive Salary, Excellent Benefits

Qualifications:

All applicants must meet the following minimum requirements:

- 10+ years' experience in the educational arena which demonstrates an understanding and proven ability to affect successful school turn-around and student academic improvement
- Demonstrated success as a turnaround instructional leader
- Demonstrated command of the intricacies of school operations, planning, instruction and overall administration of school district(s)
- Knowledge of school finance
- Strong problem solving analysis and resolution on both a strategic and functional level
- Ability to exercise excellent judgment in decision-making
- Proven leadership skills with the ability to attract, develop and inspire a team
- Exceptional ability to bridge and enhance cooperative working relationships
- Ability to set strategy and create management plans that will lead the EAA towards its goal of moving schools from the bottom five (5) percent to some of the highest academically achieving schools within the State.
- Excellent written and oral communication, planning and organizational skills;
- Excellent public relations and interpersonal skills



- Ability to motivate and inspire others to achieve outstanding results
- Ability to gather and analyze data in order to produce reports and/or to make improvements and recommendations
- Ability to interpret and implement laws, rules and policies
- Master's Degree is required. Doctorate Degree in a related field is preferred.

By no later than *Friday August 8, 2014*, all interested professionals should submit their credentials in confidence to:

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